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Government of India
Ministry of Minority Affairs

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Dated 18th October, 2013

To

The Pay & Accounts Officer,
Ministry of Minority Affairs,
Paryavaran Bhavan,
New Delhi

Subject: Grant-in-aid under the Centrally Sponsored Scheme of Merit-cum Means based Scholarship to the students belonging to minority communities to the Government of Gujarat for the year 2013-14.

Sir,

I am directed to convey the sanction of the President for release of non-recurring grant-in-aid of ₹ **26,85,160/-** (₹ Twenty Six Lakh Eighty Five Thousand One Hundred Sixty Only) as 100% Central share to the Government of Gujarat for disbursement of funds towards renewal of Merit-cum Means based Scholarship to 115 (One One Five) students as per details enclosed at **Annexure**. The non-recurring grant may be released to the Government of Gujarat through CAS, Reserve Bank of India, Nagpur.

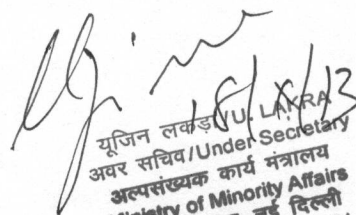
2. As per the utilization certificate submitted by the state, they have an unutilized balance of ₹ **3,16,790/-** (₹ Three Lakh Sixteen Thousand Seven Hundred Ninety Only) from the previous year's releases from merit-cum means based scholarship scheme. This amount has been adjusted from this release.

3. The expenditure is debitable to Demand No.68 - Ministry of Minority Affairs, Major Head "3601" - Grants-in-aid to State Governments, Sub-Major Head "04"-Grants for Centrally Sponsored Plan Schemes, Minor Head "378"-General (Welfare of Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes, Other Backward Classes and Minorities) - Other Grants, 03 - Merit-cum-Means Scholarship for professional and technical courses for Minorities, 03.00.31 - Grants-in-aid- General for the year 2013-14.

4. Utilization Certificate for this grant should be submitted by the grantee in the prescribed format (GFR 19-A) within 12 months from the date of this Sanction Order.

5. The State Government/UT Administration should ensure that the sanctioned amount is utilized within one month from the date of crediting of fund in the account of the State.

6. The State Government is required to furnish monthly return of this expenditure to this Ministry along with a report on amounts outstanding, released to the State Government under Merit-cum Means based Scholarship scheme.

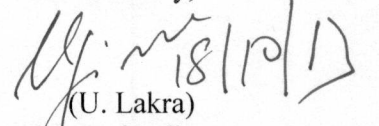

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7. Guidelines for preparation of merit list for scholarships to students belonging to minority communities, contained in this Ministry's letter No.1(1)/2006-PP-I dated 13.12.2007 may be followed.

8. This sanction issues with concurrence of Integrated Finance Division vide Dy. No.480/2013/IFD dated 11/10/2013.

Yours faithfully,


(U. Lakra)

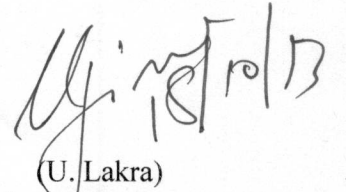
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1. The Accountant General (A&G), Gujarat, Gandhinagar.
2. The Manager, Reserve Bank of India, Central Account Section, Nagpur-440001.
3. The Principal Secretary, Social Justice & Empowerment Department, Block No.5/9th Flore, Sachivalaya, Gujarat State, Gandhinagar w.r.t. Directorate of Developing Caste Welfare letter No.DCW/EDU/MINORITY/2013-14/3063 dated 8/10/2013.
4. The Secretary, Finance Department, Govt. of Gujarat, Gandhinagar.
5. The Director General of Audit, Central Revenues, AGCR Building, New Delhi-2.
6. Sanction folder.


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Annexure

Renewal of Scholarships for the year 2013-14

Details of disbursement of Renewal of Merit-cum Means based Scholarship to the State Government of Gujarat (in this connection State Government of Gujarat letter No.DCW/EDU/MINORITY/2013-14/3063 dated 8/10/2013 refers)

Community	No. of students Proposed	Male	Female	Amount released (in ₹)
Muslim	107	67	40	27,91,950
Christian	6	2	4	1,55,000
Sikh	2	1	1	55,000
Total	115	70	45	30,01,950

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